

13TH REAAA CONFERENCE

EARLY PREPARATION TO ENSURE REAAA PREMIER EVENT A RESOUNDING SUCCESS

Preparations for the 13th REAAA Conference, a premier event for the regional association, have been intensified. The Host Korea is making serious efforts to ensure that it will be a highly successful event.



Songdo Conventia

The REAAA Governing Council at its 85th meeting endorsed the dates, venue and the theme after a briefing by Korean Chapter Chairman Mr. Kwang-Ung Hwang on the progress of the preparation for the Conference.

- Date: 23 Sept ~ 26 Sept, 2009
- Venue: Songdo Conventia (Incheon City) Korea
- Theme: Future Roads – Safer, Greener & Smarter

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The event will be sponsored by the Global Transport Knowledge Partnership (gTKP) and organized and delivered by ARRB Group, Australia in association with the REAAA Secretariat in Malaysia.



Managing Road Assets for Community Outcomes

The Roadshow is themed `Managing Road Assets for Community Outcomes` with a focus on best practice road asset management, investment planning and road safety. The event has been endorsed by the REAAA Governing Council at its 85th meeting on 4 June 2008 in Tokyo, Japan. For more details, please turn to Page 6 & 7.

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CHANGES IN COUNCIL MEMBER REPRESENTATIVES

The Council has been informed at the 85th meeting of the Governing Council held on 4 June 2008 in Tokyo, Japan that there have been changes in Council member representatives for Brunei, Korea and Taiwan.



Dato Paduka Haji
Abdul Rashid bin Haji
Abdul Rahman

Brunei:

Dato Paduka Haji Abdul Rashid bin Haji Abdul Rahman will now be the official representative for the Public Works Department, Brunei, succeeding Haji Mohd Zin bin Haji Salleh. Dato Paduka Haji Abdul Rashid has been appointed the new Director General of Public Works Department, Brunei. The meeting welcomed Dato Paduka Haji Abdul Rashid to the Council and thanked Haji Mohd Zin for his services and contributions to the Association.

Korea:

Mr. Jae-Hong Lee will be the official representative for the Road Bureau, Ministry of Land, Transport and Maritime Affairs, Korea, taking over from Mr. Myung-Kook Kim. The meeting welcomed Mr. Lee to the Council and thanked Mr. Kim for his services and contributions.



Dr. Sung Hwan Kim

Dr. Sung Hwan Kim will be the official representative for Korea Expressway Corporation succeeding Mr. Kyung-Sun Jung. Dr. Kim is the Head of Expressway & Transportation Research Institute, Korea Expressway Corporation, KEC, Korea. The Meeting welcomed Dr. Kim to the Council and thanked Mr. Jung for his services and contributions.

Taiwan:

Prof. Chang Chia Juch is now the official representative for China Road Federation, Taiwan, succeeding Mr. Jin-Yuen Chen. Prof. Chang has been elected the new President of China Road Federation, Taiwan. The meeting welcomed Prof. Chang to the Council and thanked Mr. Chen for his services and contributions to REAAA.



Prof. Chang Chia Juch

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GOVERNING COUNCIL ENDORSES PROPOSAL TO ENHANCE REAAA/PIARC COLLABORATION

The REAAA Governing Council at its 85th meeting in Tokyo on 4 June 2008 has endorsed a proposal to enhance collaboration between REAAA and the World Road Association, PIARC.

The two Associations have signed a memorandum of understanding, MoU in 2001 and both sides have agreed to go for a full revision of the MoU as it no longer reflects our ways of operating. *More details on the proposed REAAA/PIARC collaboration, please turn to Page 14.*

This is one of the positive outcomes recorded at the 85th Council Meeting which was attended by 23 of the 30 Council members.

The meeting chaired by REAAA President, Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo was held at Mita Kaigisho Conference Hall in Tokyo, Japan. The Governing Council at this meeting also made several major decisions. They included the endorsement of the dates, venue and the theme for the 13th REAAA Conference to be held in September 2009, organizing of the inaugural Mino Roadshow in August 2008, election of two honorary members, the agenda and issues to be discussed at the 7th HORA meeting and the dates and venue for the 86th Council meeting which is to be hosted by Australia.



Group Photograph taken after the 85th Council Meeting in Tokyo, Japan on 4 June 2008

The 85th Council meeting concluded successfully after deliberating the above issues and other matters concerning the operations of the Association.

Dr. Yoo on behalf of the Governing Council extended his sincere thanks to the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism, Japan and the Road Bureau of the Ministry, MLIT, for hosting and organizing this Council meeting, the HORA Working Group Meeting and the associated events:

He also expressed his sincere gratitude and appreciation to Japan Road Association, Japan Road Contractors Association, Prestressed Concrete Contractors Association, Japan Expressway Holding and Debt Repayment Agency, East Nippon Expressway Company Limited, Central Nippon Expressway Company Limited, West Nippon Expressway Company Limited, Metropolitan Expressway Company Limited, Hanshin Expressway Company Limited, Honshu-Shikoku Bridge Expressway Company Limited and others who have contributed directly or indirectly to the success of the meetings.

PERTH TO HOST NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

The 86th Meeting of REAAA Governing Council is scheduled to be held in Perth,
Australia from 21st to 23rd October 2008.

The dates and the venue for the meeting were approved by the Governing Council at its 85th meeting in Tokyo, Japan.

The dates and the venue were earlier proposed by Australian Chapter Chairman Mr. Gary Liddle. A HORA workshop, a technical tour and other events are being planned in conjunction with the Council meeting.

13TH REAAA CONFERENCE

The 13th REAAA Conference to be held in Incheon City, Korea from 23-26 September 2009 is poised to be a successful event. The Host Korea and the organizers are making serious and concerted efforts to ensure that it will be another successful event, for REAAA and Korea.



Mr. Kwang-Ung Hwang
Chairman, Korean Chapter

Korean Chapter Chairman Mr. Kwang-Ung Hwang in his briefing to the REAAA Governing Council at its 85th Meeting in Tokyo on June 4, 2008 said the preparation for the Conference is progressing well. The Council endorsed the dates, venue and the theme for the Conference.

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- **Theme:** Future Roads – Safer, Greener & Smarter

The REAAA Conference is held in conjunction with Korea's International Road & Traffic Exhibition. It is supported by the Korean Government particularly the Ministry of Land, Transport and Maritime Affairs and Incheon City, Korea. It should be noted that the conference will be one of the important events of the Global Fair & Festival 2009 Incheon, Korea which will take place from August to October 2009.

Among the major events to be held include:

- Opening & Closing Ceremonies
- REAAA Council Meetings & General Meeting
- 8th Meeting of Heads of Road Authorities
- Technical Sessions (300+ papers) & Special Sessions
- Technical & Cultural Tours
- International Road & Traffic Exhibition



Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo
REAAA President

On the Conference registration fees, REAAA President Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo who is also the Head of Korea Road and Transportation Research Institute, Korea Road and Transportation Association, said discounted rates will be offered to REAAA members. He expected about 1,500 international delegates to participate in the event.

The Progress Report presented by Korea also highlighted the proposals to have greater cooperation and closer collaboration with PIARC and IRF in organising the REAAA Conference.



Venue: Songdo Conventia (Incheon City) Korea

With all the above positive factors and ingredients, the 13th REAAA Conference has this to offer:

- to network with 3,500 international delegates
- to learn best practices from regional experts
- to have a first hand look at new technologies used in Korea
- to experience various ceremonies and entertainment of the Global Fair & Festival
- to enjoy the beautiful and rich culture of Korea

INAUGURAL REAAA MINO ROADSHOW

Managing Road Assets for Community Outcomes

25th – 27th August, 2008
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia



The REAAA Mino Roadshow is finally off the ground. The inaugural event is set to be held August 25-27, 2008 in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia having been conceived some five years ago. It will be a real feather in the cap for REAAA.

The Mino Roadshow is an active technology transfer programme developed by REAAA to update skills and keep abreast of changes and improvements in technology. It is in line with one of the main objectives of REAAA's Strategic Plan to assist members professional development through technology transfer.

60 delegates from selected countries in the Asia and Pacific Region are expected to benefit from the inaugural roadshow. The event has been endorsed by the REAAA Governing Council at its 85th meeting on 4 June 2008 in Tokyo, Japan.

The Theme

The inaugural roadshow is themed 'Managing Road Assets for Community Outcomes' with a focus on best practice road asset management, investment planning and road safety. This is the first of what is hoped to be a series of events held on a regular basis which address different subjects of high interest to road authorities.

Invitation

The event is targeted at senior managers and professionals drawn from road authorities, private industry and the education sector whose main concern is the management of national and provincial roads. Invitations have been specifically extended to REAAA member organisations and road controlling authorities in Bangladesh, Cambodia, India, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, the Pacific Island nations (Fiji, Samoa, Solomon Islands and Tonga), Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, the People's Republic of China, the Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Vietnam. This will enable us to target countries in most need of support, including the Pacific Islands and the Greater Mekong region, and those emerging nations who provide examples of good practice.



Background

At the 2nd Heads of Road Authorities (HORA) Meeting, held in Cairns, Queensland, in May 2003, there was considerable support for REAAA to develop an active technology transfer program to update skills and keep abreast of changes and improvements in technology. This followed a successful three-day seminar conducted in Bangkok in May 2001 which explored emerging issues and challenges for managers of the regions' road networks. Subsequently, the New Zealand and Australian Chapter identified training needs of countries in the Asia Pacific region and details of existing training providers, documenting the courses provided. This information informed the development of the REAAA Mino Roadshow in memory of former President and long serving member of the Governing Council, Dr. Sadamu Mino.



Mr. Kieran Sharp briefing the Governing Council on the Inaugural Mino Roadshow

Funding

The primary funding will be provided by gTKP, the Global Transport Knowledge Partnership. This will cover the preparation of the resource materials, the attendance of the international presentation team and the hire of the venue, including lunches, etc. The participants will be self-funded, or supported by sponsoring organisations, including REAAA member organisations, road authorities or other sponsors.



Organisation

The event will be organised and delivered by ARRB Group on behalf of the REAAA Technical Committee in association with the REAAA Secretariat in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

The technical team responsible for the preparation and delivery of the workshop will include experienced professionals from the following organisations:

- ARRB: project manager and specialist contribution in asset management and road safety
- Australasian State Road Authorities: specialist contributors in asset management and investment planning
- International Road Assessment Programme (iRAP): specialist contributor in road safety
- Malaysian Institute of Road Safety (MIROS): specialist contributor in road safety
- Kumpulan IKRAM Malaysia: specialist contributor in road asset management

In addition, presentations will also be sought from participating road authorities, including:

- Road Asset Management Branch, Malaysian Department of Public Works (JKR)
- Directorate of Planning, Directorate General of Highways, Indonesia

Objectives

The objectives of the workshop are to:

1. update road practitioners on current best practice principles
2. provide a conduit of information transfer in mainstream transport knowledge to connect local and international practitioners
3. provide an appreciation of the relevant operational principles applicable to practice
4. facilitate the adoption of appropriate planning and engineering practices to meet the unique needs of countries in the region using evidence-based sustainable techniques.

Tentative Programme

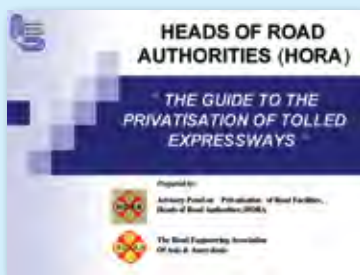
Time	Sunday 24 Aug 2008	Monday 25 Aug 2008	Tuesday 26 Aug 2008	Wednesday 27 Aug 2008	Thursday 28 Aug 2008
08.00	Arrival	Registration			Depart
08.30			Feedback / Objectives	Feedback / Objectives	
09.00		Opening & Introduction	Road safety engineering & risk assessment	Network maintenance management & delivery	
09.30		Road sector challenges			
10.00		Road safety in Asia-Pacific	Discussion / Key issues	Discussion / Key issues	
10.30		Break	Break	Break	
11.00		A framework for managing road assets	Network safety & priorities (Case Study 2 - iRAP)	Institutional needs: (Case study 4 - Samoa)	
11.30					
12.00		Discussion / Key issues	Discussion / Key issues	Discussion / Key issues	
12.30		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
13.00					
13.30		Quantifying benefits (Case study 1 - Queensland)	Network planning & design (Case study 3 - Indonesia)	Country / Regional Actions	
14.00					
14.30		Discussion / Key issues	Discussion / Key issues	Discussion / Summary	
15.00		Break	Break	Break	
15.30	Registration	Decision support systems (Case Study 2 - Malaysia)	Open Space: Participant presentations	Roadshow assessment	
16.00				Concluding remarks & Close	
16.30		Discussion / Key issues	Discussion / Key issues		
17.00		Day 1 concludes	Day 2 concludes		
17.30	Welcome Reception		Depart		
18.00					
19.00	Free	Official dinner			
20.00					
21.00	Free				
22.00					

POSITIVE OUTCOMES FROM HORA MEETINGS

The 7th Meeting of the Heads of Road Authorities (HORA) from June 3-6, 2008 has concluded successfully in Tokyo, Japan. The workshops and discussions at this 7th Meeting and the previous HORA meetings have finally produced positive results. At least three compendiums or guidebooks on three different topics are to be published to serve as useful reference or guide.

Guide to the Privatisation of Expressways and Highways

The first compendium to be produced is the 'Guide to the Privatisation of Expressways and Highways'. The draft copy of the guide has been approved by the REAAA Governing Council at its 85th meeting. It was adopted at the 7th HORA Meeting with many HORA delegates commended the good efforts of the HORA Advisory Panel on 'Privatisation of Road Facilities'. The Advisory Panel set up an editorial committee to produce the guide which covers the various aspects of privatisation of expressways and highways.



Content of the Draft Guide:

- Procedure for Project Development and Implementation
- Legal and Regulatory Framework
- Financing
- Traffic Forecast
- Engineering
- Environmental and Social Issues
- Procurement
- Risk Management
- Construction
- Operation and Maintenance

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Adoption

The Guide was presented at the 7th HORA Meeting by the Chairman of the HORA Advisory Panel Dato' Hj. Mohamad Razali bin Othman who is also the Director-General of the Malaysian Highway Authority. Several HORA delegates commended the efforts by the Panel and the Editorial Committee, describing the document as a good reference and the information is valuable. The meeting later adopted the draft copy of the Guide. The REAAA Technical Committee will help to prepare a compendium on the Guide.



Dato' Hj. Mohamad Razali bin Othman (*front row first*) presenting the Guide at the 7th HORA Meeting

'Disaster Risk Management'

Another compendium to be produced will be on 'Disaster Risk Management'. It is being finalised by the HORA Advisory Group set up to undertake the task. A progress report was presented at the 7th HORA Meeting by the Convenor, Mr. Kieran Sharp who is the Chairman of the REAAA Technical Committee.

Background

At the 6th HORA meeting in Korea in May 2007, the HORA Advisory Group on Disaster Risk Management was set up to play a key role in managing regional disasters. A workshop was conducted with the active participation by delegates from 13 countries. The first meeting of The Advisory group held its first meeting in November 2007 in Genting Highlands, Malaysia in conjunction with the 84th REAAA Governing Council meeting. Among the decisions taken at the first meeting were to nominate the members of Advisory Group, to define the role and objectives of the Advisory Group to develop the Scope of Compendium.

Purpose/Role Of Advisory Panel

- Advisory Group is to be the 'voice' in the region, and the focal point for other international agencies, in the area of disaster risk management
- OBJECTIVES
 - share experiences/practices in the region with respect to road infrastructure disaster risk management
 - prepare a Compendium which reports current practice and lessons learned relating to road infrastructure disaster risk management
 - disseminate relevant information through workshops and publications

Contents Of Draft Compendium

A compendium is being prepared by the Advisory Group headed by Mr. Kieran Sharp. The content of the draft compendium is proposed as follows:

- Introduction
- Workshop on Disaster Risk Management-Summary of Group Discussion in Korea & Malaysia
- Definition of Disaster and Scale
- Current Disaster Risk Management Practice
- Good Practice of Disaster Risk Management
- Recommendations
- Conclusions



Seeking Information From Participating Countries

The first draft of the compendium has been prepared. Mr. Kieran Sharp said many chapters could not be written as information yet to be provided by many countries. He made an appeal to these countries to provide the data and information for the Advisory Group to complete the compendium.

Workshop On Efficient Operations Of Road Network

The workshop was one of the highlights for the 7th HORA meeting. Presentations were made by representatives of the participating countries to share their experience and expertise on the issue. REAAA Technical Committee will try to compile the good practices and practical solution into a technical guide or a compendium. A progress report will be prepared for discussion at the next meeting in October 2008 in Perth. A final draft of the report will be presented in September 2009, the next HORA meeting in Korea.



Mr. Kieran Sharp

Introduction

Mr. Akira Fujimoto, Research Centre for Advanced Information Technology, the National Institute for Land and Infrastructure, Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism introduced the theme 'Efficient Operation of Road Network'. An efficient operation of road network would help ease traffic congestion, improve environment, and enhance economic growth. Mr. Fujimoto, in introducing the topic, highlighted the following points:

- Since traffic congestion is chronic in the megalopolis area because of population and traffic concentration, it has been a common problem for each country to solve serious traffic congestion. These situations cause reduction of vehicle moving speed, increment of global environmental load, aggravation of roadside environment, and increase of traffic accidents, resulting deterioration of economic growth.

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POSITIVE OUTCOMES FROM HORA MEETINGS

- To deal with traffic congestion, it is important to implement road improvement systematically, however under the severe financial constraints, it is also necessary to utilize the existing road network effectively.
- It is beneficial for the road administration of each country to mutually exchange ideas on the problems of road network operation and share excellent measures for easing traffic congestion and improving environment in the HORA meeting.



A HORA delegate making his presentation at the 7th HORA Meeting



Group Photo taken at the conclusion of the 7th HORA Meeting

Presentation By HORA Delegates

Delegates from the participating countries were invited to select a topic relating to theme 3 'Efficient Operation of Road Network' for their presentation:

TOPIC	PRESENTER	DESIGNATION	COUNTRY
Problems on Road Network Operations in Malaysia	Mdm. Jamilah Mohd Marjan	Director, MIROS	Malaysia
Development of National Highways in India	Mr. Brahm Dutt	Secretary, Dept. of Road Transport & Highways	India
Flyover Construction for Grade Separation at Railway Crossing/ Congested Urban Area	Mr. Danis H Sumadilaga	Director of Technical Affairs, Ministry of Public Works	Indonesia
Capacity Improvement using Shoulder of Expressway	Mr. In-Sang YOO	Deputy Director General, Road Bureau, Ministry of Land, Transport & Maritime Affairs	Korea
Smoothering Traffic Flow by Utilising Information Technology - ITS in Singapore	Dr. Chin Kian-Keong	Group Director, Land Transport Authority, LTA	Singapore
Best practices for the Improvement of Road Network in the Philippines	Mr. Bashir D. Rasuman	Undersecretary	Philippines
Improvement of Missing Links	Mr. R.M. Amarasekara	Additional General Manager, Road Development Authority	Sri Lanka
The Industrial Ring Road Project	Dr. Chakree Bamrungwong	Civil Engineer, Dept of Rural Roads	Thailand
Improvement of Missing Links - Development of Outer Bangkok Ring Road	Mr. Panja Cooparat	Deputy DG, Dept. of Highways, Thailand	Thailand
Efficient Operation of Road Network	Mr. Gary Liddle	CEO, VicRoads	Australia
Towards Easing Traffic Congestion, Improving Environment and Enhancing Economic Growth.	Mr. Rafitra Haji Abdul Razak	Acting Executive Engineer, PWD Brunei	Brunei
Auckland Motorway Management System-Ramp Signalling Project Update	Mr. Brent Johnston	Project Director, Beca International Consultants	New Zealand

A WELL-ORGANISED & WELL-ATTENDED 7TH HORA MEETING

Seventy two delegates including heads of road authorities from 13 countries attended the 7th HORA meeting in Tokyo, Japan. Among them were 24 REAAA Council members.

Participating Countries

The 13 countries are: Australia, Brunei, India, Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, New Zealand, the Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, and the host Japan. The World Road Association, PIARC was invited as a special guest. It was represented by its Deputy Secretary General, Mr. Franck Charmaison.

Invitation

The 7th HORA meeting was hosted and organised by the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, and Transport and Tourism, Japan, with the support and cooperation of Japan Road Association and other agencies, institutions and companies.

An official invitation letter dated 10 March, 2008, signed by the Director General of Road Bureau, Ministry of Land, Transport and Tourism, Japan, Mr. Toshitaka Miyata, President of Japan Road Association, Mr. Hiroyuki Fujikawa and REAAA President, Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo was sent out to countries in Asia, Australasia and the Pacific Region inviting their heads of road authorities to attend the meeting.

Opening Session

The President of REAAA, Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo, on behalf of the REAAA Governing Council and the Heads of Road Authorities expressed his sincere thanks to Japan, particularly the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, and Transport and Tourism, for hosting and organising the 7th HORA Meeting. He was confident the 7th HORA meeting would be a major success and the delegates would find it very fruitful and beneficial. Dr. Yoo attributed the success of HORA meetings to the strong support given by the heads of road authorities in this region.

Mr. Toshitaka Miyata, the Director General of Road Bureau, Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, and Transport and Tourism of Japan, in his opening remark, said it was a great honour for Japan to host and organise the 7th HORA Meeting. He noted that three main themes have been lined up for discussions for the two-day meeting.

- Final Report on Privatisation of Road facilities and the Presentation of the `Guide to the Privatisation of Tolled Expressways`;
- Progress Report on Disaster Risk Management;
- Efficient Operation of Road Network.

A session to introduce Japan's International Cooperation and Technologies was held to enable HORA delegates to have a better understanding of Japan's technologies, and the role of Japan's agencies such as Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), Japan Bank For International Cooperation (JBIC) in extending assistance and cooperation to other countries.

A brief presentation was held to introduce a new topic `Environment and Road Safety` for the next HORA meeting. It was presented by Jamilah Mohd Marjan, Director of Malaysian Institute of Road Safety Research, MIROS.



85TH COUNCIL MEETING 7TH HORA MEETING

Tokyo, Japan
3 - 6 June 2008

85th Council Meeting



7th Hora Meeting



Welcome Dinner

3 June 2008



4 June 2008

Dinner



Dinner

5 June 2008



NEW FRAMEWORK TO ENHANCE REAAA - PIARC COLLABORATION

REAAA (Road Engineering Association of Asia & Australasia) and PIARC (World Road Association) have agreed to undertake joint efforts to enhance cooperation and collaboration between the two associations.



Endorsement

The REAAA Governing Council at its 85th meeting in Tokyo in June 2008 endorsed the proposals to enhance the collaboration between REAAA and PIARC. The proposals for the enhancement of the collaboration were made by PIARC Secretary General, Mr. Jean-François Corté following his recent visit to Korea and discussions with REAAA President Dr. Kyong-Soo Yoo. Mr. Corté, in his letter to Dr. Yoo, informed that the proposals are in line with the decision PIARC has made to work more closely with regional organizations such as REAAA.

Three Topics for Consideration

One item devoted to cooperation between REAAA and PIARC was included in the agenda of REAAA's 85th Council meeting for discussions. The June 4 Council meeting endorsed the proposals with the focus on three topics:

- MoU between REAAA and PIARC;
- Co-sponsoring of PIARC International Seminars;
- Special issue of PIARC Routes/Roads magazine devoted to REAAA's countries.

Deputy Secretary General of PIARC, Mr. Franck Charmaison was invited to attend the Council meeting in Tokyo as a special guest. He elaborated on the above topics especially the Memorandum of Understanding, Mou between PIARC and REAAA.



Mr. Franck Charmaison (front row far right) attending the 85th Council meeting as a special guest.

MoU to be revised

Mr. Charmaison said the MoU signed in 2001 needs a full revision, since it no longer reflects our ways of operating. A framework for a new generation of MoU with regional organizations has been approved by PIARC in 2005. He proposed to revise the MoU between REAAA and PIARC according to this new framework. The aim is to promote synergy and formalize relations between REAAA and PIARC, by addressing the following issues:

1. Representation to board meetings (mutual)
2. Strategic plans (coherence)
3. Co-ordination of work (priorities >> common groups)
4. Websites (links)
5. Joint activities (conferences, events...)
 - Monitoring (yearly)
 - Duration (no time limit)

A draft copy of the Mou is being produced. The draft will be presented to both associations for approval and implementation.

International Seminars

On the second proposal to hold more International Seminars in REAAA countries in 2008-2011, Mr. Charmaison said PIARC offers REAAA to co-sponsor Seminars and solicits support from REAAA members, by:

- Encouraging the preparation of contributions to these seminars from their own country
- Helping to disseminate information about the seminars in their country
- Facilitating whenever possible the participation to the seminars of some experts of their country.

PIARC International Seminars are planned in developing countries and countries with economy in transition to facilitate networking of experts from these countries with experts from the rest of the world and to enhance knowledge transfer. These International Seminars are planned at a regional level in order to reach not only experts of the host country but also from neighbouring countries.

PIARC organized 24 international seminars in 2004-2007 and the following seminars were held in Asia.

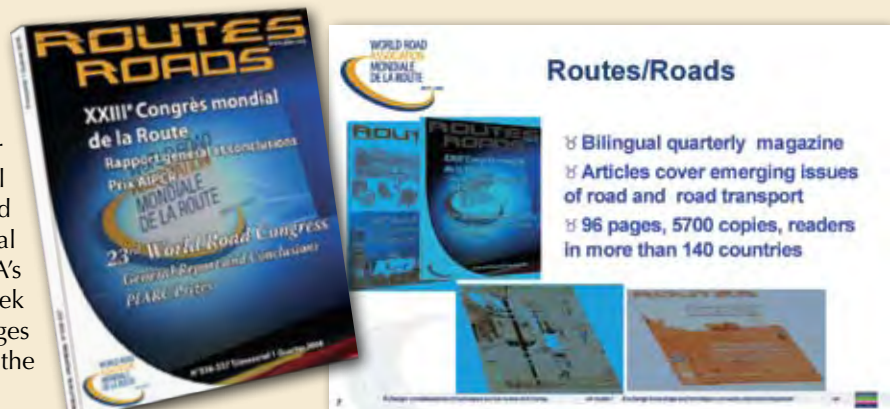
TC	TC Name	Place	Country	Date
1.4	Management of Network Operations	Kuala Lumpur	Malaysia	14-16 Aug. 2006
2.4	Freight Transport and Intermodality	Ulaanbaatar	Mongolia	6-8 Sept. 2006
2.5	Rural Roads and Accessibility	Siem Reap	Cambodia	28-30 Nov. 2005
3.1	Road Safety	Beijing	P.R. China	18-20 Oct. 2005
3.2	Risk Management for Roads	Hanoi	Vietnam	26-28 April 2006
3.3	Road Tunnels Operation	Chongqing	P.R. China	18-20 Oct. 2006
4.1	Management of Road Infrastructure Assets	Chandigarh	India	19-21 March 2008

Echange connaissances et technologies sur les routes et le transport
art routes / Exchange knowledge and techniques on roads and road transport

Special issue of Routes/Roads dedicated to REAAA countries

The 3rd proposal is to publish a special issue of PIARC Routes/Roads magazine devoted to REAAA's countries. Mr. Charmaison said PIARC proposed to devote the 2009 July issue to papers prepared by REAAA's countries in order to make issues and actions carried out in these countries better known throughout the world. This special issue of Routes/Roads could also include a presentation of REAAA and promote the 13th REAAA Conference 2009.

This issue of Routes/Roads would be produced as usual by PIARC General Secretariat at no cost for REAAA for their standard dissemination. Financial contribution would be asked for additional copies for local dissemination and at the REAAA's Conference. PIARC would seek some help for selling some pages of advertisement to facilitate the production of this issue.



TECHNICAL TOUR

A technical tour was organized on June 6, 2008 for delegates attending the 7th HORA meeting and the 85th Council meeting in Tokyo, Japan. They visited the Traffic Control Room of Metropolitan Expressway and the construction site of an underground ring road project 'Oohashi Junction' which is part of Central Circular Shinjuku Route in Tokyo.

The delegates were very impressed with the construction work of the underground ring road project 'Oohashi Junction' which is scheduled to be completed in 2009.

On technology, it is employing the trenchless method made possible by the tunnel-boring machine, TBM. On safety, it is a state-of-the-art disaster-prevention system which will protect people in the unlikely event of an accident inside the tunnel. The Central Circular Shinjuku Route is a new road to be added to a network of expressways serving as the main artery of the Tokyo metropolitan area for everyday use by its residents. When completed, the new road will help reduce traffic congestion significantly, ensuring a smooth traffic in the City.



Delegates taking a closer look at the construction work at the site of the Oohashi Junction



The delegates earlier visited the Traffic Control Room of Metropolitan Expressway. The visitors were briefed on the network and the traffic control system. The total length of Metropolitan Expressway in service, as of March 2007, was 286.8 kilometres, and traffic volume had risen to approximately 1,150,000 vehicles per day. The Company engages in traffic control 24 hours a day to maintain safe, smooth and comfortable road traffic. The traffic control system has three main functions: collection, processing and presentation of traffic information. Real time road traffic information is offered to road users. To provide a broader scope of road traffic information, they exchange traffic information online with the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport which manages some national roads, and Expressways managed by NEXCO.

Delegates being briefed on the traffic control system during their visit to the Traffic Control Room of Metropolitan Expressway

REAAA Australian Chapter Report

This report describes the activities of the Australian Chapter for the period from October 2007 to April 2008.

Australian Chapter AGM

The most recent Australian Chapter AGM was held in December 2007. The meeting considered the Chairman's report and the accounts for the year ended 30 September 2007. Members' funds at the end of the year were A\$42,370. Elections were conducted for the committee of the Australian Chapter. The office bearers and committee are now as follows:

Chairman	: Gary Liddle (VicRoads)
Deputy Chairman	: Kieran Sharp (ARRB)
Secretary-Treasurer	: Murray Kidnie (Austroads)
Ordinary Member	: Ray Farrelly (AAPA), Chris Tatum (Maunsells WA) Gerard Waldron (ARRB) Bob Peters (MRWA) George Vorobieff (AustStab) Tom Wilmot (Stabilised Pavements)

Australian Chapter Activities

The Australian Chapter committee met in December 2007, following the AGM. The Committee considered a report on the activities undertaken since the last committee meeting.

The committee confirmed its view that the Australian Chapter should complement, rather than compete with, activities of other organisations with overlapping potential memberships, such as Engineers Australia. The Australian Chapter should cooperate with other organisations to jointly stage events rather than organising major independent events. Committee members will continue to explore opportunities for joint events with other organisations.

An effort will be made to promote membership and arrange activities in Victoria, New South Wales and Queensland, along the lines of the events organised by the WA branch. The intention is to promote the REAAA Australian Chapter as a means of providing professional development and networking opportunities, particularly for young professionals in the road industry.

Specific initiatives being planned for 2008 include:

- Dr. Tony Kane, Director, Engineering & Technical Services/Chief Technology Officer, American Association of State Highways & Transportation Officials (AASHTO) is attending the 23rd ARRB Conference in Adelaide in August. He will make an additional presentation for REAAA members attending the Conference.
- Dr. Kane will also speak at an REAAA forum in Brisbane.
- Victorian members are undertaking a survey to identify additional activities members consider desirable and what activities would attract new members.
- Conducting a forum to award honorary memberships to Professor Ian Johnston and Professor John Metcalf, with the recipients invited to make presentations.

A directory of Australian Chapter members is being produced which will be circulated to Australian Chapter members.

Agreement Between the REAAA Australian Chapter and Austroads International Committee (PIARC)

The Australian Chapter and the Austroads International

Committee have agreed to enter into a formal agreement to link the World Road Association activities in Australia to a broader audience, strengthen the links between the two organisations in the Asia/Pacific and provide enhanced benefits for the members of the REAAA Australian Chapter through greater access to World Road Association information and its activities. The objectives of the agreement are to:

- recognise that activities of the REAAA Australian Chapter and Austroads International Committee (PIARC) are complementary and mutually beneficial
- increase knowledge and awareness of the World Road Association, its activities and benefits, amongst road professionals in Australia and the Asia Pacific
- increase benefits to members of REAAA through the provision of information and knowledge transfer activities of the World Road Association.

Newsletters

Newsletters are produced by the Austroads national office on behalf of the Australian Chapter committee and distributed to members. The newsletters are emailed to members. They are mailed to the small number of members who do not have email addresses. They are also available on the Australian Chapter website. A newsletter was prepared and distributed in January 2008 following the AGM.

WA Branch Activities

The WA Branch held its Annual General Meeting on 18 March 2008. The office bearers elected at that meeting were:

Chairman	: Phil Ladner
Deputy Chairman	: Gary Norwell
Secretary-Treasurer	: Brendan Marsh
Ordinary Member	: David Brown Richard Jois Sarkis Petrossian John White Philippa Simpson-Bint
	: Paul James Bob Peters Chris Tatum Raph Woon

The AGM was followed by a presentation by Professor Greg Martin PSM on transport research.

The WA branch also awarded two prizes of \$250 each for achievement in Transport Engineering at Curtin University.

Membership of Australian Chapter

The Australian Chapter membership as at 30 April 2008 was as follows:

Honorary member	1
Life members	3
Individual members	125
Institutional members	10

BRUNEI CHAPTER REPORT

This report describes the activities of the Brunei Chapter for the period from November 2007 to May 2008.

List of Committee Members of Brunei Chapter

The list of the Executive Committee Members of Brunei Chapter for the term 2006 to 2008 remains unchanged from that reported in the 84th Meeting of the Governing Council.

The Brunei Chapter Committee:-

Chairman	: Dato Paduka Haji Othman bin Haji Yaakub
Vice Chairman	: Pengiran Kerma Raja Pengiran Haji Kamarulzaman
Honorary Secretary	: Haji Suhaimi bin Haji Gafar
Honorary Treasurer	: Kok Yuh Huh
Committee Members	: Haji Ismail bin Haji Md Jaafar Yee Kok On Haji Mazlan bin Haji Salim Bahrin bin Mohamad Yong Teck Chin

Membership As At 31st May 2008

The membership strength as at 31st May 2008 stood at 65.

Individual members	65
Institutional member	1

Activities of REAAA (Brunei Chapter)

The 84th Meeting of the Governing Council which was held on the 27th November 2007 in Genting Highlands, Malaysia was attended by Dato Paduka Haji Othman bin Haji Yaakub, the Chairman of REAAA Brunei Chapter and Haji Suhaimi bin Haji Gafar, the Acting Deputy Director General of Public Works Department, Brunei Darussalam.

The Brunei Chapter will be holding its annual general meeting by the end of this year which will include the election of a new executive committee for the term 2008 to 2010.

Among other activities which have been planned for the Chapter includes joint seminars between the Public Works Department and the Brunei Chapter and the annual Brunei Chapter golf tournament sometime between August and December this year.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPTER REPORT

Chairman's introduction

This report describes the activities of the New Zealand chapter for the period from 1 April 2008 to 31 May 2008.

Chapter Committee Members

The New Zealand Chapter committee:

Chairperson	: Richard Steel
Treasurer	: Brendan Bisley
Secretary	: Lisa Pallister
Committee Members	: Janice Brass Ewan Hunter Bill Caradus Tony Brennand Chris Scott Peter Mortimer Rob Napier Chris Olsen Chris Parkman Allan Tuck

Membership count as at 31 May 2008

Institutional Members – 8

Corporate Members – 8

(equivalent to ½ an institutional member)

Ordinary Members – 76

Committee meetings held between 1 April and 31 May 2008

The NZ Chapter Committee meetings have been held on:

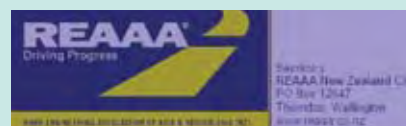
- 24 April 2008
- 29 May 2008

Activities carried out between April 2008 to May 2008

- Continued upgrading of the redesigned chapter's website including a searchable membership database.
- Annual General meeting held on 24 April 2008 in Christchurch.
- Regional breakfast meeting held in Auckland 29 April 2008.
- The autumn newsletter was published and sent to members early April 2008.

Future Activities to September 2008

- Regional breakfast meeting to be held at a venue in the South Island.
- The winter newsletter to be published in August/September 2008.
- NZ Chapter annual roadshow in September 2008.



REAAA KOREAN CHAPTER

This report describes the activities of REAAA Korean Chapter for the period from December 2007 to May 2008. It is prepared by Chapter Chairman Mr. Kwang-Ung Hwang.

MEMBERSHIP

Total number of membership as of 30 April 2008 is 110.

- Ordinary members : 84
- Life members : 14
- Institutional members : 12

MEETING

The first Executive Committee Meeting of 2008 was held on 12 March and the followings were discussed.

- Report on the results of the 84th Council Meeting
- Report on income & expenditure for 2007 ended 31 December 2007
- Plans for attending the 85th and 86th Council Meetings
- Proposed budget for year 2008
- Preparation for the 13th REAAA Conference in 2009

PHILIPPINE CHAPTER REPORT

This report covers the activities of the Philippine Chapter for the period from December 2007 to April 2008. The Report is submitted by Chapter Chairman Mr. Rafael C. Yabut.

Prior to the Oath-taking of its new set of Officers on March 28, 2008, the new leadership organized a Golf Tournament as part of its fund raising of the Chapter.

During the Oath-taking that the Chairman encouraged the attendees to become members of the REAAA. The Chairman inducted 24 New REAAA Members later on.

New Members:

Regular Members	14
Lifetime Members	7
Institutional	2
Regular Members upgraded to Lifetime	6

Membership count as of 6 May 2008:

Institutional	3
Life Members	38
Ordinary Members	132
Associate Members	2
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	175
Deleted (deceased)	2
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Total:	173

Executive Committee Meeting was held on February 19, 2008 and the following were discussed.

- Report on the results of the 84th Council Meeting held in Genting, Malaysia, Deputy Chairman Jesus P. Cammayo attended.
- Report on the results of the 6th HORA Meeting
- Oath-taking of new set of Committee Members
- Review & formulate present and future activities
- To increase membership
- To intensify collection of overdue accounts

Chairman	: Rafael C. Yabut
Deputy Chairman	: Jesus P. Cammayo
Secretary	: Isaac S. David
Treasurer	: Oscar Z. Aurellano
Immediate Past Chairman	: Jaime Pajara
Adviser	: Salvador A. Pleyto
Committee Members	: Mocamad M. Raki-in, Sr. Juanito P. Abergas Anesia B. Mercado Ricardo Interior Gloria C. Briones Jerome dela Rosa Reynaldo S. Perez

ROAD ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION OF MALAYSIA (REAM)

PRESIDENT'S REPORT FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY – JUNE 2008

• Towards active participation in World Road Congress (PIARC) activities

The Council was unanimous in its view that REAM should play a more pivotal role in the activities of PIARC than just attending its four-yearly congresses and organising its seminars locally. With this in mind, efforts are currently underway to establish a PIARC National Committee for Malaysia. Further REAM nominated 10 of its members to serve in various PIARC Technical Committees and one to chair one of its committees. All REAM's nominations were accepted and Prof. Dato' Ir. Dr. Radin Umar bin Radin Sohadi has done the country proud with his appointment as the Chair of PIARC's TC C.2 Safer Road Operations. These nominations and appointment certainly augur well for REAM in particular and Malaysia in general.

The PIARC TC C.2 in collaboration with REAM will be hosting its meeting in Kuala Lumpur in October 2008. In conjunction with this meeting, a Conference on Road Safety will be held. The foreign experts attending the meeting will be invited to address the conference.

• 8th Malaysian Road Conference (MRC) and Exhibition 2009

This premier road engineering event has been scheduled from 30 November to 2 December 2009. Based on the resounding successes achieved in the earlier seven MRCs, the Council has decided to go fully international.

• Nomination of additional Standing Committee Members

The number of Standing Committees currently stands at 12. The Council was of the view that the number of standing committees needs to be increased to address a variety of issues relating to the industry.

Currently, there are a total of 10 Ordinary Council Members (five elected and five nominated).

The Council will proposing at the forthcoming annual general meeting that the elected ordinary council members be increased from five to ten with the nominated ordinary council members remaining at five.

This would provide the additional Chairmen of Standing Committees the required credibility to carry out functions such as organising seminars and workshops and in formulating and revising specifications and guidelines for publications.

• Membership

As at June 2007, the total membership stood at 535. In June 2008, the membership has risen by some 25% to 668. This steady increase is continuing fuelled by the increase in the number of activities of added value organised by the various REAM standing committees. Most of the membership forms were received during these REAM activities. For the period January to June 2008 alone, some 49 applications for various grades were received.

• REAM overseas delegations

The following delegations as approved by the Council have been successfully executed by the Activity Standing Committee:

- i. REAM Delegation to the PIARC International Seminar on Road Asset Management in Chandigarh and study tour to Delhi, India from 17 to 22 March 2008
- ii. REAM Delegation to International Conference 2008 - Managing Road and Runway Surfaces to Improve Safety in Cheltenham and Study Tour to London, England from 10 to 16 May 2008

The arrangements for the following approved delegations are at various stages of completion:

- i. REAM Delegation to the 10th International Symposium on Landslides and Engineered Slopes in Xi'an and Study Tour to Shanghai, China from 29 June to 6 July 2008
- ii. 23rd ARRB Conference in Adelaide, Australia from 29 July to 2 August 2008
- iii. REAM Delegation's visit to ring road and bridge infrastructure in Beijing, China (Rescheduled dates have not been confirmed)
- iv. 15th World Congress on Intelligent Transport Systems in New York, USA from 16 to 20 November 2008

• REAM local seminars

During the period under review, the following three seminars received overwhelming support from the industry. In fact they were over subscribed:

- i. The New Era of Road Construction - Road Stabilisation and Surface Dressing
- ii. Seminar on Stone Mastic Asphalt
- iii. A Guide on Selection of Pavement Types: Asphalt or Concrete

There are number of other seminars relating to pavement, bridge structures and road safety of primary interest to the industry which are in various stages of planning.

• Technical publications

REAM currently has 16 technical guidelines on sale at cost to members and the industry. Work by volunteers is continuing for the publication of guidelines on various other aspects.

• Training programmes

- i. The five-module Road Safety Audit programme is the most popular. Due to overwhelming response, this programme was held in two sessions. A pass in the competency test allows candidates to apply for accreditation as a road safety auditor.
- ii. The Accident and Countermeasures programme received strong support from the road engineering fraternity as the rising statistics in vehicular accidents is becoming the primary bane of contention in the country.

Both these popular programmes will be repeated in the second half of the year.

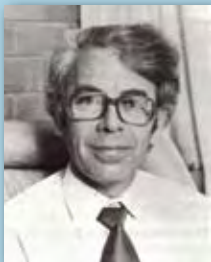
HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

Two outstanding personalities have been recommended to be elected Honorary Members by the Governing Council at its 85th meeting in June 2008 in Tokyo, Japan. The two are Prof. Ian Johnston and Dr. John Metcalf, both are from Australia.

Prof. Ian Johnston has contributed outstanding services to REAAA. He was the REAAA President for the 11th Council Term 2000-2003. He has also served two terms as Chairman of the Australian Chapter. He has over 35 years experience in the transport safety field and is considered to be a person of outstanding eminence in the road industry.



Prof. Ian Johnston



Dr. John Metcalf

Dr. John Metcalf has been actively involved in the activities of REAAA since the early years 1970s. He served for 12 years as Chairman of the REAAA technical Committee and represented Australia as Vice President over the same period. He has made an outstanding contribution to the road industry both in Australia and internationally.

Under the REAAA Constitution, a person of outstanding eminence and long experience in the science and practice of some phase of road engineering and has contributed outstanding services to the Association may be elected to Honorary membership by the recommendation of the Council and the approval by members carrying a simple majority vote by ballot.

The REAAA Governing Council earlier set up a committee to scrutinize the recommendation submitted by the Australian Chapter for the two nominees to be elected the honorary members. The Scrutinising Committee endorsed the nominations and the Governing Council at its 85th meeting in Japan recommended the two to be elected honorary members.

The next step is to seek the approval of REAAA members. A simple majority vote by ballot will effect the election of the nominees. The ballot paper has been sent out to REAAA members with a letter signed by the Honorary Secretary Dr. Safry Kamal Ahmad. The deadline for returning the ballot papers is 15 September 2008.

REAAA members are requested to return the ballot form by September 15, 2008

REAAA NEW MEMBERS

The membership strength as at 30 April 2008 is 1617. The REAAA Council and Chapters have approved 92 new members for the period between from 1 October 2007 to April 2008

Institutional	6
Life	23
Ordinary	62
Associate	1
Total	92

The list of members approved by the 85th council meeting on 4 June 2008

Institutional Members

1	Namkwang Engineering & Construction	Korea
2	Hyundai Development Company	Korea
3	Belati Wangsa (M) Sdn Bhd	REAM
4	Yakal Construction	Philippines
5	Vicente T. Lao Construction	Philippines
6	Honshu-Shikoku Bridge Expressway Company Ltd	Japan

Life Members

1	Rasuman, Bashir D.	Philippines
2	Cammayo, Oscar P.	Philippines
3	Young-Keun Oh	Korea
4	Carlos G. Veloso (Engr)	Philippines
5	Ahmad Azlan bin Hj. Ahmad (Ir)	REAM
6	Shukri bin Abdullah (Dato')	REAM
7	Oscar U Dela Cruz	Philippines
8	Mario M. Montejó	Philippines
9	Capio, Oscar V	Philippines
10	Ferrer, Marcelito G	Philippines
11	Pabria Joselito D	Philippines
12	Razo, Gerardo A	Philippines
13	Tan Freddie S	Philippines
14	Interior Ricardo Jr	Philippines
15	Mabborang, Pio Francisco E	Philippines
16	Che Hassandi Abdullah (Dr)	REAM
17	Chong Ming Chung	REAM
18	Ab. Hamid bin Md Daud	REAM
19	Nik Ramlan bin Nik Hassan (Ir. Dr.)	REAM
20	Steven Chong Fook Loy (Ir)	REAM
21	Hew Yoon Leong (Ir)	REAM
22	Nor Asiah Binti Othman (Datin)	REAM
23	Kamar bin Kassim	REAM

Ordinary Members

1	Brett Martin	Australia
2	Christina Chin	Australia
3	Aznam bin Abdul Rahim	REAM
4	Soosaiselvanathan Kolandesamy (Ir)	REAM
5	Azmi bin Yusoff (Ir)	REAM
6	Haji Kamaruddin Bin Md Ali (Ir)	REAM
7	Ilyas bin Ibrahim (Ir)	REAM
8	Alwee bin Othman	REAM
9	Zulkifli bin Hussain	REAM
10	Nazemi bin Haji Mat (Ir)	REAM
11	Mohd Khairolden bin Ghani	REAM
12	Siti Khairiah binti Alias	REAM
13	Chong Joo Fei	REAM
14	Koo Hian Lun	REAM
15	Ng Weng Choon	REAM
16	Phang Jiun Haur	REAM
17	Ku Mohammad Sani bin Ku Mahamud	REAM
18	Lau Sie Hung	REAM
19	Mohd Jamal bin Sulaiman	REAM
20	Murray Hasler	New Zealand
21	Veenay Rambisheswar	New Zealand
22	John Morris	New Zealand
23	David Takendu	New Zealand
24	Kathryn Martin	Australia
25	Aquerra, Pepito E	Philippines
26	Caballero, Joselito B	Philippines
27	Cabangod, Marciano M	Philippines
28	Calvario, Francisco A	Philippines
29	Javier, Isagani G	Philippines
30	Leano, Wencelao Jr.	Philippines
31	Nicolas, John C	Philippines
32	Pastrana, Carolina D	Philippines
33	Pique, Homobono C	Philippines
34	Reyes, Ildefonso R	Philippines
35	Dela Cruz, Conchita M	Philippines
36	Perez, Reynaldo SL	Philippines
37	Cheng, Juan Carlos L	Philippines
38	Tamura, Keiichi	Japan
39	Fallarna, Leizl C.	Philippines
40	Rofie Bin Sarbini	REAM
41	Tan Boon Seng	REAM
42	Norazlan bin Khalid	REAM
43	Mohamad Azham Sulaiman	REAM
44	Kok Yow Loong (Dr)	REAM

45 Ng Ken Seng	REAM
46 Mohamad Salleh bin Yunos (Ir)	REAM
47 Mohd Faizul bin Mohd Ali Hanapiah (Ir)	REAM
48 Mohd Azahar bin Awang	REAM
49 Shafida Azwina binti Mohd Shafie	REAM
50 Teow Hui Fang	REAM
51 Mohamad Raduan bin Kabit	REAM
52 Seet Soon Hoi (Ir. Dr)	REAM
53 Nitchiananthan a/l Balasubramanian (Ir)	REAM
54 Zaidi bin Mohamad	REAM
55 Roslan bin Ismail	REAM
56 Khor Lee Chong, Jason	REAM
57 R. Managa Deavi a/p K. Ramanathan (Ir)	REAM
58 Suria binti Haron	REAM
59 Lim Boon Chye (Ir)	REAM
60 Razali bin Jarmin (Ir)	REAM
61 Kamarudin bin Ambak	REAM
62 Grace Ong Okuda	REAM

Associate Members

1 Ng Sean Lok	REAM
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Members Resigned / Lost Contact / Deceased

1 C.Sivasubramaniam (Dato')	REAM
2 Alan McLennan	Australia
3 Gary Mason	Australia
4 David Willmott	New Zealand

5 Philip Salt	New Zealand
6 Peter Farley	New Zealand
7 Frank Bartley	New Zealand
8 Oscar U Dela Cruz	Philippines
9 Romulo M del Rosario	Philippines
10 M. Crescencio M. Rocamora	Philippines
11 Yamazaki, Hachiro	Japan
12 Arakawa, Shoichi	Japan
13 Yoshioka, Yukio	Japan
14 Kurasawa, Shinya	Japan
15 Namba, Hayazo	Japan
16 Toshihiro, Mineta	Japan

Institutional Members

1 John Wertheimer & Co.	Australia
2 China Engineering Consultants Inc	Taiwan

Status Changed from Ordinary to Life

1 Rasuman, Bashir D.	Philippines
2 Cammayo, Oscar P.	Philippines
3 Young-Keun Oh	Korea
4 Carlos G. Veloso (Engr)	Philippines
5 Oscar U Dela Cruz	Philippines
6 Mario M. Montejo	Philippines
7 Hew Yoon Leong (Ir)	REAM
8 Nor Asiah Binti Othman (Datin)	REAM
9 Kamar bin Kassim	REAM

Endorsement of ISAP Nagoya 2010 Conference



The Governing Council has endorsed the ISAP Nagoya 2010 Conference which is scheduled to be held August 1 - 6, 2010 in Nagoya Aichi, Japan.

The endorsement was made at the 85th Council meeting after a proposal presented by Mr. Yasumasa Torii of Japan.

The Conference is sponsored by International Society of Asphalt Pavements, ISAP and Japan Road Association, JRA. The most characteristic themes for the 11th international conference are asphalt pavement technologies, especially those recently developed for coping with environment problems and for enhancing safety that are concerned by all over the world.

REAAA members are encouraged to attend the Conference. The organizers are looking into the discounted registration fees to be offered to REAAA members.

FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

August 2008

13-14 Australasian Road Marking & Signs Conference & Exhibitions
 Venue Coffs Harbour, Australia
 Contact Roadmarking Industry Association of Australia
 Tel +61 3 5982 3068
 Fax +61 3 5982 3067
 Email ceo@riaa.com.au
 Website www.riaa.com.au

25-27 Inaugural REAAA Mino Roadshow
 Venue Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 Organised by REAAA & ARRB
 Contact REAAA Secretariat
 Tel +60 3 5513 6380
 Fax +60 3 5513 6390
 Email reaaa@streamyx.com;
 reaaa@po.jaring.my
 Website www.reaaa.net

September 2008

15-18 CONEXPO Russia
 Venue Moscow, Russia
 Contact AEM
 Tel +7 424 398 4123
 Email pmonroe@aem.org
 Website www.aem.org

October 2008

1-3 The 3rd International Conference on Accelerated Pavement Testing
 Venue Madrid, Spain
 Contact Cedex
 Email apt2008@cedex.es
 Website www.cedex.es/apt2008

2-3 NZ Alliancing Conference
 Venue Skycity Convention Centre, Auckland, New Zealand
 Organiser Transit New Zealand
 Tel +64 9 360 1240
 Fax +64 9 360 1242
 Email nzallianceconference@tcc.co.nz

3-4 Mobility and Road Safety Conference
 Venue New Delhi, India
 Organiser The International Road Federation
 Contact IRF
 Website www.irnet.org

15-17 Viet Traffic 2008
 Venue Hanoi, Vietnam
 Contact IIR Exhibitions Pte Ltd
 Tel +65 6319 2668
 Fax +65 6319 2669
 Email cheryl.tan@iirx.com.sg
 Website www.viettraffic.com

20-22 SURF 2008, the 6th Symposium on Pavement Surface Characteristics
 Venue Portoroz, Slovenia
 Contact Chairman, Organising Committee, Mr. Bojan Leben
 Tel +386 41 730 518
 Fax +386 1 28 04 264
 Email bojan.leben@zag.si
 Website www.surf2008.si

21-23 86th Meeting of REAAA Governing Council
 Venue Perth, Australia
 Contact Executive Secretary
 Tel +60 3 5513 6380
 Fax +60 3 5513 6390
 Email reaaa@streamyx.com;
 reaaa@po.jaring.my
 Website www.reaaa.net

November 2008

10-11 2nd International Conference on Roads and the Environment
 Venue Geneva, Switzerland
 Contact IRF
 Tel +41 22 306 02 60
 Fax +41 22 306 02 70
 Email abastienne@irfnet.org
 Website www.irfnet.org

20-22 Italian International Road Safety Exhibition
 Venue Verona, Italy
 Contact ADnet s r l
 Tel +39 06 372 5998
 Fax +39 06 372 4130
 Email mcmoschera@sissonline.it
 Website www.sissonline.it

25-28 Bauma China
 Venue Shanghai New International Expo Center (SNIEC)
 Contact Messe Muenchen GmbH
 Tel +49 89 949 20258
 Fax +49 89 949 20259
 Email info@bauma-china.com
 Website www.baumachina.com

27-29 Asphaltica Urbania Exhibition of Equipment & Technologies for the Asphalt Industry
 Venue Padova, Italy
 Contact PadovaFiere
 Tel +39 049 840 111
 Fax +39 049 840 570
 Website www.padovafiery.com

December 2008

1-5 Road Safety International Workshop
 Venue Melbourne, Australia
 Organisers VicRoads
 Contact Road Safety International Workshop Manager
 Tel +61 3 9455 0725
 Fax +61 3 9455 0650
 Email rsw@roads.vic.gov.au
 Website www.vicroads.vic.gov.au

May 2009

18-20 Intertraffic China
 Venue Shanghai, China
 Organiser Amsterdam Rai
 Tel +31 20 549 12 12
 Fax +31 20 549 18 89
 Email intertraffic@rai.ni
 Website www.intertraffic.com

26-30 Austroads Bridge Conference
 Venue Auckland, New Zealand
 Organisers Transit New Zealand
 Contact Douceline Van Arts
 Tel +64 4 496 6675
 Fax +64 4 496 6608
 Email douceline.vanarts@transit.govt.nz

27-29 Intertraffic Istanbul
 Venue Istanbul, Turkey
 Organiser Amsterdam Rai
 Tel +31 20 549 12 12
 Fax +31 20 549 18 89
 Email intertraffic@rai.ni
 Website www.intertraffic.com

June 2009

2-6 16th International Road Federation World Road Meeting
 Venue Lisbon, Portugal
 Contact IRF
 Tel +41 22 306 02 60
 Fax +41 22 306 02 70
 Email info@irfnet.org
 Website www.irf2009.com

September 2009

23-26 13th REAAA Conference Theme: Future Roads, Safer, Greener & Smarter
 Venue Songdo Conventia, Incheon City, Korea
 Contact Executive Secretary
 Tel +60 3 5513 6380
 Fax +60 3 5513 6390
 Email reaaa@streamyx.com;
 reaaa@po.jaring.my
 Website www.reaaa.net

23-26 13th REAAA General Meeting
 Venue Songdo Conventia, Incheon City, Korea
 Contact Executive Secretary
 Tel +60 3 5513 6380
 Fax +60 3 5513 6390
 Email reaaa@streamyx.com;
 reaaa@po.jaring.my
 Website www.reaaa.net

23-26 8th Meeting of Heads of Road Authorities (HORA)
 Venue Songdo Conventia, Incheon City, Korea
 Contact Executive Secretary
 Tel +60 3 5513 6380
 Fax +60 3 5513 6390
 Email reaaa@streamyx.com
 Website www.reaaa.net

November 2009/December 2009

30-2 8th Malaysian Road Conference (MRC) and Exhibition 2009
 Venue Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
 Organisers REAM
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February 2010

8-11 XIIIth International Winter Road Congress
 Venue Quebec, Canada
 Organisers AIPCR-PIARC
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March 2010

23-26 Intertraffic Amsterdam
 Venue Amsterdam
 Organiser Amsterdam Rai
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August 2010

1-6 The 11th International Conference on Asphalt Pavements
 Venue Nagoya, Japan
 Organisers Japan Road Association, International Society for Asphalt Pavements
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 Email info@isap2010.jp